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Respectfully submitted,

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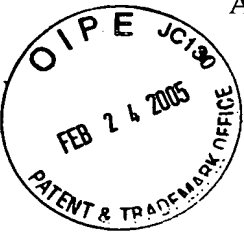
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on December 3, 2004, please amend
the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which
begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

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